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Assemblymember Curren Price Holds Successful Child Safety Event in the 51st

(Los Angeles, CA) Assemblymember Curren Price (D- Inglewood) held a Child Safety Event & Mobile District Office on Saturday, February 28, 2009 at the Ladera Shopping Center. Community residents brought their young children to be fingerprinted and were also able to have their car seats inspected for adequate installation.

"Access to information regarding child safety is extremely important. Nearly all of the car seat inspections that were performed found that each of the seats had initially been installed incorrectly," said Assemblyman Price. "With car crashes killing more children each year than all childhood diseases combined, I feel confident in saying that we have provided vital safety tips to the participants in today's event."

Car Seat Safety Technicians from the California Highway Patrol (CHP) performed the car seat inspections and installations, while Marilyn Weinger from *KIDS ARE 1st*, along with the LA County Sheriffs Explorers helped families fill out Child Identification (ID) Kits. For the ID Kits the children were fingerprinted and photographed. The photo was printed and given to the parents on site.

"This is the first in a series of Child Safety events that will be held in my district," said Mr. Price. "Ensuring that our children are safe and our families are adequately prepared is a priority for me."

Please feel free to contact Assemblymember Price's district office at (310) 412-6400 for information on the next event and for more resources pertaining to child car seat safety.

Assembly member Curren Price serves the 51st Assembly District, which includes Inglewood, Hawthorne, Gardena, Playa Vista, Westchester, Lawndale, West Athens, Lennox, Alondra Park, West Compton, Del Aire, Willowbrook and portions of unincorporated Ladera.

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